

Go to Britain for benefits says EU

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MEDDLING Euro MPs have provoked fury by heralding a £4million scheme to publicise Britain's lucrative benefits and health care system to people from across the Continent.

The money will be squandered on a campaign highlighting every citizen's right to move from country to country within the EU.

But commentators pointed out last night that the plan was an easy way of advertising Britain's soft-touch welfare system and could encourage millions of people to travel to the UK for access to it.

The publicity programme, contained in a report put forward by a Greek MEP, prompted howls of outrage among campaigners and raised fears of a fresh flood of benefit tourists descending on the UK.

Britain is already the destination of choice for tens of thousands of eastern Europeans every year because of our generous state handouts compared with their home countries.

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Re: Go to Britain for benefits says EU

Posted by Gerry - 14 May 2012 05:29

Surely this must be the last straw on the camel's back? Britain can not continue to fund it's membership of the E.U. and hope to pull out of a double dip recession. The money should stay in the U.K. and those not who are not permanent U.K. residents should be sent back to their country of origin. The eurocrats need to be reminded that we are not part of a 'United States of Europe' but a sovereign nation and a democratic one at that. When will David Cameron do what the vast majority of British citizens want and remove us from the E.U. once and for all?

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Re: Go to Britain for benefits says EU

Posted by Mady - 16 May 2012 09:37

This provokes a Victor Meldrew response, but actually I do believe it and am off to calculate how many more years the government will make me work to keep people who come to Britain for those reasons only....when are we going to wake up.....when we are totally bankrupt and no-one is working!!

If this is what Brussels is doing for us.....then I think we have no alternative but to leave.

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